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THE LUTHERAN SYNOD MEETS NEWBERRY COLLEGE

First Time in History to Hold Session in College—Pastors and Delegates.

Next Tuesday, November 9, beginning at 1:45 o'clock, the Lutheran synod of South Carolina will meet at the college, the sessions being held in the chapel in Holland hall. This is the first time in the history of the synod that the college has been its host. On that account the people of Newberry will take an active interest in the coming convention. It also promises to be a meeting of unusual importance to all the causes represented by the synod, especially the cause of education and the college in particular. It will be a "get acquainted" meeting, the synod studying its institution at close range and planning for its welfare on the ground. Perhaps no event in recent years has meant as much to Newberry college as the coming synod's meeting is going to mean, and the college is planning on its part to provide as generously as possible for the comfort and pleasure of its guests. It is sure to have the hearty co-operation of its friends in Newberry, who will entertain the ministers and delegates in their homes. The members of synod will take dinner with the students each day of the convention, which is one of the pleasant features of the week which have been arranged. The regular work of the college will proceed as usual, the classes reporting to schedule, while the synod conducts its meetings in the chapel. Each morning at the matin hour the student body and synod will meet together.

The officers of the synod are as follows: President, Rev. P. E. Monroe, Summerland college, Leesville; vice-president, Rev. Edwin Fulenwider, Newberry; secretary, Rev. W. B. Aull, Walhalla; treasurer, Mr. A. H. Kohn, Columbia.

Each pastorate in the state will be represented by its minister and one lay delegate. The following persons will attend, the list including the lay delegates who have been reported at this date:

Rev. S. C. Ballentine, Pomaria, W. B. Boineat.
Rev. H. E. Beatty, Orangeburg, W. G. Sease.
Rev. H. C. Bell, Graniteville.
Rev. H. J. Black, Charleston, Julius E. Schroeder.
Rev. L. P. Boland, Lone Star, E. F. Irick.
Rev. B. W. Cronk, Prosperity, J. E. Monts.
Rev. J. B. Derrick, Augusta, Ga.
Rev. W. A. Dutton, Leesville, J. A. Rauch.
Rev. C. A. Freed, D. D., Columbia, C. J. Kimball.
Rev. Edw. Fulenwider, Newberry, Dr. O. B. Mayer.
Rev. H. S. Petrea, White Rock, Forest Shealy.
Rev. G. J. Gongaware, D. D., Charleston, Herbert A. Smith.
Rev. W. H. Greever, D. D., Columbia, R. C. Counts.
Rev. D. B. Groseclose, Fairfax, E. L. Young.
Rev. S. T. Hallman, D. D., Spartanburg, J. E. Lawhon.
Rev. M. D. Huddle, Irmo, B. L. Fisher.
Rev. M. L. Kester, Johnston.
Rev. J. D. Kinard, Greenwood, R. B. Epting.
Rev. S. P. Koon, Silverstreet.
Rev. M. O. J. Kreps, Olympia, Columbia.
Rev. E. W. Leslie, Prosperity.
Rev. R. E. Livingstone, Gaston, E. A. Brown.
Rev. J. J. Long, Little Mountain.
Rev. C. L. Miller, Greenville, Robert Bowe.
Rev. H. A. McCullough, D. D., Columbia, A. D. Hiltiwanger.
Rev. W. A. C. Mueller, D. D., Charleston.
Rev. J. W. Oxner, Cameron.
Rev. Bernard Repass, Charleston.
Rev. Y. von A. Riser, Pomaria, J. J. Kibler.
Rev. P. D. Risinger, Lexington, P. H. Cook.
Rev. E. F. K. Roof, Ehrhardt, J. B. Ehrhardt.
Rev. M. G. G. Scherer, D. D., Charleston, W. R. Zobel.
Rev. J. D. Shealy, Leesville, John J. Shealy.
Rev. P. E. Seely, Newberry.
Rev. J. L. Smith, Florence, W. F.

Hiers.

Rev. A. R. Taylor, Lexington.
Rev. L. A. Thomas, Lexington, S. P. George.
Rev. W. B. Aull, Walhalla, L. H. Rimrodt.
Rev. J. H. Wilson, D. D., Sumter.
Rev. J. B. Harmon, Prosperity, W. P. Counts.

The following are also members of the synod and will attend:

Rev. Jacob Austin, Leesville.
Rev. Z. W. Bedenbaugh, Prosperity.
Rev. C. P. Boozer, Leesville.
Rev. A. J. Bowers, D. D., Haralson, Ga.
Rev. W. P. Cline, D. D., White Rock, Rock.
Rev. P. H. E. Derrick, Blythewood.
Rev. J. H. Harms, D. D., Newberry.
Rev. J. W. Horine, D. D., Columbia.
Rev. P. E. Monroe, Leesville.
Rev. M. C. Riser, Bluffton.
Rev. J. C. Seegars, D. D., Columbia.
Rev. J. A. Sligh, Columbia.
Rev. W. K. Sligh, Jacksonville, Fla.
Rev. R. B. Tarrant, Springfield.
Ministers and others expected:
Rev. E. C. Cronk, D. D., Columbia.
Rev. R. C. Holland, D. D., Columbia.
Rev. R. S. Patterson, D. D., Charlotte, N. C.
Mr. A. H. Kohn, Columbia, Carolina Life Insurance Co.
Dr. Geo. Y. Hunter, Prosperity.
J. V. Sutton, Columbia.

Death of Mrs. M. C. Hallman.

The death of Mrs. M. C. Hallman, nee Miss Lizzie Still, in Ward 4, last Friday afternoon was a shock to her many friends, both in and out of the city. Mrs. Hallman was 32 years of age and is survived by her husband and two small children, a little boy 3 years old and a little baby girl two weeks old, by her mother, a brother, S. C. Still of Columbia, and a sister, Mrs. G. W. Harrison of the city. After funeral services at the home by Rev. F. E. Dibble the interment was had in Rosemont cemetery Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Leg Fractured.

About two weeks ago little Clarence Watkins, 20 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Watkins, fell down some steps while visiting in Camden and injured his leg. It was thought that he would soon be all right, but as time passed and he did not improve, his father took him to Columbia Friday, where an X-ray picture was made by Dr. Gibbs. It was found that both bones of the leg just above the ankle were fractured. Little Clarence is now at home and is doing nicely.

Meteorological Report, October, 1915.

Temperature.
Mean maximum, 77.6.
Mean minimum, 54.7.
Mean, 66.1.
Maximum, 86; date 16th.
Minimum, 37; date 10th.
Greatest daily range, 35.
Precipitation.
Total, 3.72 inches.
Greatest in 24 hours 1.36; date 20th.
Number of days with .01 or more precipitation 8; clear 13; fair 8; cloudy 10. Light frost on the 9, 10, 11, 30.
W. G. Peterson, C. O.

Greatest Oats Yield.

F. A. Schumpert of Atlanta, representing the American Ballast company of Knoxville, has an exhibit of "Masco" ground limestone at the State fair. Mr. Schumpert is a former citizen of Newberry. He has the distinction of having supervised the harvesting of the largest yield of oats ever produced on an acre in the United States. The yield per acre was 117 bushels, and it was produced on a ten-acre field within the corporate limits of the town of Newberry in the bountiful crop year of 1882, when even "voluntarily" oats was harvested in the woods where traveling teams had camped the previous winter and spring. Mr. Schumpert subsequently represented a harvester company throughout the middle states, and was a fine advertiser of the South as a grain producing country. Mr. Schumpert was a classmate of Columbia's "Dutch Weather Prophet" in Newberry in the old field school days. They met yesterday for the first time in a number of years.—The State.

"The Trouble at Satterlee's."

Play to be given by the class of 1917 of Summerland college on November 5, 1915. Everybody come. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

THE NEWS OF PROSPERITY

Marriage of Miss Wyche Announced—Other Marriages—Corn Club Boys Win Prizes—Personal.

Special to The Herald and News.

Prosperity, Nov. 1.—Monday afternoon Mrs. Alma Nance entertained in honor of her niece, Miss Isoline Wyche. The drawing room was tastefully decorated in pink and white. The guests were entertained with progressive ruck, after which a salad course was served. The unique feature of the afternoon was the coming in of little Sarah Wyche Quattlebaum as Cupid, bearing a basket filled with sweet alyssum, from the depths of which each drew a card with the following rhyme:
"Cupid to you a secret imparts,
His arrow has pierced two other hearts,
Jim Goggans and Isoline you may know."

In November you'll surely find this so."

This is the beginning of a number of parties which will be given in honor of the bride-elect, Miss Wyche.

Misses Nannie Wheeler and Lera Livingstone of Summerland college spent Sunday at home.

Dr. Hulett Caldwell has returned to Newberry, after supplying for Dr. Wheeler at the Prosperity Drug company.

Prof. and Mrs. L. A. Sease, Cadets Hunter Eppers, Esman Dominick and Henry Quattlebaum of Clemson college were in town for a few days this week.

Miss Rebe Langford has returned to Spartanburg, after spending Friday and Saturday at home.

Miss Liza Bell Curlee of Winnsboro has returned to take charge of the Excelsior school.

Miss Kate Barre, who was operated on at the Columbia hospital Friday, is reported doing well. The patrons of the telephone wish her a speedy recovery, as she is very much missed at central.

Mrs. E. P. Taylor and little son have returned to Batesburg after a week's stay with Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Taylor.

Miss Bell Hunter of the St. Luke section is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. H. Hawkins.

Misses Mary DeWalt Hunter, Ruby Wheeler and Susie Langford of Winthrop college spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Misses Lucy and Annie Wheeler of Columbia spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wheeler.

Miss Willie Mae Wise has as her guest Miss Lemmon of Dillon.

Mesdames Z. W. Bedenbaugh and J. F. Wise have gone to Ehrhardt to attend the Woman's Missionary convention.

Mrs. P. L. Langford spent fair week in Columbia with Mrs. J. Fuller Lyon. Mesdames Brown and Quattlebaum were in Columbia Friday evening for grand opera, "Rigoletto."

Miss Edna Fellers has returned from a visit to Columbia.

Mr. Norman Wessinger spent the week-end at home.

At the State fair nine prizes were offered to the corn club boys, four of which were captured by Newberry county boys, Cecil Dominick of Little Mountain won two prizes; Otis Miller of Newberry one prize; John Bachman Kinard of Pomaria one prize.

Miss Gertrude Bobb spent fair week in Columbia with Mrs. A. H. Kohn.

Miss Susie Langford was in Columbia Wednesday evening for the luncheon banquet of Columbia college. Miss Langford was one of the speakers of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Schumpert were in Newberry Wednesday for the circus. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stockman and children spent several days last week in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stegall leave this week for Florida to spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Morris are visiting in Lykesland.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. C. K. Wheeler are glad to welcome them to Prosperity, where they will make their home. At present they are with Dr. Wheeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wheeler.

Cupid is getting very active in our community, as Rev. Leslie had two marriages at the parsonage Sunday afternoon. The contracting parties were Mr. Jake Bedenbaugh and Miss Corrie Morris and Mr. Hayne Wilson and Miss Janie Vaughn all of New-

berry county.

The Young People's society will meet in Grace church Tuesday evening.

The Home Mission service will be rendered by the Sunday school of Grace church Sunday afternoon at 3:30. The public is cordially invited.

The William Lester chapter meets Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. J. P. Wheeler.

A personal property sale of the late Noah C. Fulmer will be held Saturday November 6, at his late home near Simpson Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Shealy and children spent Sunday with the former's grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Shealy of Pine Ridge section, in Lexington county. Mrs. Shealy is 89 years old and is in good health.

Mrs. Jacob Cromer of Pomaria was the guest last week of Mrs. N. E. Oxner.

EXPORT COAL TERMINAL

Of Southern Railway at Charleston Cost Over Half Million—Equal That of Any Port.

Charleston, Oct. 30.—Southern railways export coal terminal, recently completed at Charleston at a cost of approximately \$600,000, gives Charleston facilities which will enable it to compete on an equal basis with any other port on the Atlantic seaboard for traffic in coal for carriage overseas and is therefore an improvement of great interest and importance not only to Charleston, but as well to the entire southeastern territory, particularly the coal producing sections. Coal can now be loaded into ships at Charleston as rapidly and as cheaply as at any other American port and freight rates have been so adjusted that coal operators shipping through Charleston will be on a parity with producers exporting through Norfolk.

The terminal embodies the most modern ideas for facilities of this character. Coal is dumped from cars by turning them bottom upwards and falls into a hopper from which it is fed into the holds of ships by a belt conveyor and a telescopic chute which not only make very rapid handling possible but eliminate to a great degree the breakage which results when coal is dumped into ships by gravity from elevated pockets.

The coal handling machinery consists of a car dumper and a loading tower, both of which are operated entirely by electricity. They are located on a steel and concrete pier, 375 feet in length, fronting on water 60 feet deep at mean low tide. The pier is connected with the mainland by a cross-trestle, 3,800 feet long.

Cars are pushed into the dumper by a switch engine. When power is applied, the car is automatically clamped and turned—body, trucks and the section of track upon which it stands—to such an angle that the coal pours into the hopper. When the car is empty the dumper returns to its normal positions. As another loaded car is shoved into the dumper it pushes out the empty, which then runs to the end of the pier and by means of a "kick back" is returned automatically to the storage track.

The loading tower consists of the hopper into which coal is dumped from cars, the belt conveyor and the telescopic chute by means of which coal can be delivered to any part of a ship, thus eliminating "trimming" to a great extent.

Both the car dumper and the loading tower are movable and can be shifted to serve different hatches, so that when a ship is once tied up at the pier it is unnecessary to move it until full cargo has been received.

The capacity of the plant is from 1,500 to 2,000 tons per hour. A car can be unloaded in about two minutes and the plant will handle cars up to 100 tons capacity, though for the present 50 ton cars will be the heaviest sent to it. The plant can handle in one day as much coal as was exported through Charleston in the entire year 1913.

The terminal is complete in itself, but should business beyond its capacity develop, provision has been made for the addition of similar units.

In connection with the coal pier, a storage yard of 400 cars capacity has been constructed at Charleston and additional passing track facilities have been provided on the lines leading from the coal fields.

TEUTONIC FORCES

ADVANCING SLOWLY

Austrians From West, Germans From North and Bulgars From East Making Progress.

London, Oct. 29.—The Germans with their Austrian and Bulgarian allies are still trying to cut off the retreat of the main Serbian army, which is offering spirited resistance as it retreats. While Field Marshal von Mackensen's force advances slowly from the north, the Austrians have crossed the western border of Serbia south of Visegrad and are moving eastward and the Bulgarians are marching westward on a wide front from Pirot, southeast of Nish, to Sajecar, northeast of Nish.

It is a long way across and the country is difficult to traverse, but the Serbians are bound to defend it as long as possible, as their great arsenal at Kraguyvats is situated in this area and they doubtless will hold on with the hope of making an eventual retreat in the mountains along the Montenegrin frontier and in that country.

One Fighting King.

To forestall this the Austrians also are attacking in Montenegro, but have made little progress, and the Montenegrins under their veteran fighting king have had a long time to prepare for just such an event and have beaten off all attacks.

In fact, the Montenegrins hold some strong positions in Austrian territory, out of which they will have to be driven before their own country can be invaded.

It is reported that Uskup has been captured. The French claim to have cleared the Bulgarians out of the Velez district. (This, if true, would render Uskup an unsafe place for the invaders, in the opinion of military men here.)

Russian plans have not been disclosed, although from German sources it is reported that Roumania is about to throw in her lot with the entente allies and will allow the passage of 500,000 Russian troops through her territory to attack Bulgaria from the north.

Greece has assured the entente powers that her neutrality remains friendly to them and has pointed out that she already has given them assistance by permitting the landing of troops at Saloniki.

On the other fronts there is little or no change in the situation. In the West artillery engagements remain the chief method of warfare, although there have been some trench fighting. In the East a battle is still raging for Riga and Dvinsk, which for nearly two months Field Marshal von Hindenburg had been endeavoring to reach. During the past week the Germans have poured a rain of shells on the Russian positions along a front of 150 miles from the mouth of Dvina to the south of Dvinsk, but although the Russians are falling back a little in the north they have generally held firm and returned shot for shot, which is taken here to indicate that their supply of ammunition is now satisfactory.

Though the like district between Dvinsk and Svetsyani the Russians are steadily advancing and are approaching the Vilna-Dvinsk railway. In the south they also continue harrying the Austro-Germans by frequent thrusts. Emperor Nicholas and his son are visiting Gen. Ivanoff in this region.

As the Germans are reported to have sent a part of Gen. von Linsinger's army from this region to the Roumanian frontier to guard against a Roumanian attack on Field Marshal von Mackensen's forces in Serbia, important events are looked for along the Sty and in Galicia.

Gen. Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, has arrived in England. He had a long conference with Earl Kitchener today and also visited the other ministers.

Made Trip to Atlanta.

The following city officials returned Tuesday from a trip to Atlanta, where they went Monday as guests of Mr. T. O. Stewart of the LaFrance Automobile Fire Truck company to witness a demonstration of a truck with a pump attached. First Chief C. B. Beaudrot, Assistant Chief J. L. Gaffney, Aldermen J. B. Harris, P. B. Ellis, L. M. Long and J. W. Coleman.—Greenwood Journal.

COTTON MARKET

Newberry.

Cotton 11½c
Cotton seed, per bu..... 57c

Prosperity.

Cotton 11½c
Cotton seed, per bu..... 58½c

Pomaria.

Cotton 11½c
Cotton seed, per bu..... 57c

Little Mountain.

Cotton 11½c
Cotton seed, per bu..... 54c

Silverstreet.

Cotton 11½c
Cotton seed, per bu..... 55

Chappells.

Cotton 11½c
Cotton seed, per bu..... 57c

Kinards.

Cotton 11½c
Cotton seed, per bu..... 55½c

Whitmore.

Cotton 11½c
Cotton seed, per bu..... 55½c

MR. JACOB EHRHARDT DEAD

Prominent Citizen of Ehrhardt Passes Away Suddenly.

Ehrhardt, Oct. 29.—Jacob Ehrhardt, one of the town's most prominent and substantial citizens and business men died at his home here tonight about 8 o'clock, quite suddenly of apoplexy. Burial arrangements have not yet been made, but the funeral will not take place until Sunday.

Mr. Ehrhardt was the son of the late Conrad Ehrhardt, the founder of the town which bears his name, and has been closely identified for years with all the interests of this community. The deceased was 55 years of age and is survived by a widow, formerly Miss Katherine Cline, of Newberry; two sons and three daughters. His death is a distinct loss to this section and will be keenly regretted by a great many.—News and Courier.

Mr. Ehrhardt was a frequent visitor to Newberry, where he had many friends who will sympathize with the family. He was a student at Newberry college for several years, but left to go in business on the completion of his junior year.

BLIND TIGERS HAVE ALL PAID

Those Pleading Guilty to Storing Liquors Comply With Sentence.

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All persons pleading guilty to illegally storing liquor have paid the amounts as set to their respective sentences, the total being \$4,425. Clerk of Court W. H. Dunkin has been busy receiving the money since Saturday, when sentences were first imposed. About \$1,500 of the amount was taken in yesterday.

Each of the defendants was given the opportunity of serving several months on the chain gang or of paying a nominal amount of money. The amounts designated varied from \$50 to \$150.

It is told that one of the defendants wished to see the judge yesterday, but being told that he was not present, was questioned as to what he wanted. After some hesitation he said that he wanted to know if the judge would extend his time until the first of the month. Being given no hope in this direction the defendant gave as his reason for making the request, "that he would lose the interest on his money, which was in the bank."

Distinguished Visitors.

Two distinguished diplomats visited Newberry college last Tuesday morning. Both of them were students here years ago. They are Dr. Julius D. Dreher, United States consul at Colon, Panama, and the Hon. William H. Leavell, United States minister to Guatemala, Central America. Both of them made short addresses in chapel.

Some of the citizenry will be the better for military training on the score of physical exercise alone.